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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
SATOSHI INABA ET AL : EXAMINER: TRAN, LONG
SERIAL NO: 10/799,780 :
FILED: MARCH 15, 2004 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2818
FOR: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND :
MANUFACTURING METHOD OF THE
SAME

ELECTION

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ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the election requirement dated May 26, 2005, Applicants elect Group I, Claims 1-19, drawn to a semiconductor device, classified in class 257, subclass 250, for further examination on the merits. Applicants reserve the right to file one or more divisional applications directed to the non-elected invention.

Accordingly, examination on the merits of Claims 1-19 is in order and is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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